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LOW PRICED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—One four burner gas range in good condition also one mission chair. Inquire 109 Pleasant St.

FOR SALE—Chamber set, bureau, commode, hair mattress and gas stove. Apply 223 North St.

FOR SALE—One carriage worth \$250, one good buggy to be sold at a sacrifice on a car having no horse. W. J. Watson, Depot St.

FOR SALE—Fall potatoes for hog feed seven cents per bushel. The Orchard, Phone 174.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness, wagon, saddle, riding boots and stable equipment. Inquire M. S. Taylor, 67 Porter St., South Adams, Mass.

FOR SALE—The best flavored tomato in the country, fresh from the garden. Ernest Marcoux, 129 Mill St.

FOR SALE—Farm of 100 acres, good six room house, horse barn, and wagon shed, orchard of 20 trees, abundance of wood for home use, never failing water at house, and in pasture land all level and well fenced, with quiet good cow house, 2 cars 2 months old, 2 tons hay, good two horse mowing wagon, mowing machine, hay rake, all growing crops, and all small tools. This farm must be sold to settle estate. Price for all \$2,500—paid cash. Nash & Hutchins.

FOR SALE—Small place with 2 acres extra good land, comfortable house in good repair, fine level-falling water. Located between North Bennington and South Bennington. Price \$500—paid cash. Nash & Hutchins.

FOR SALE—One four cylinder five horse per cent motor car, excellent touring car. This car is in excellent condition and will be sold at a very low figure. E. W. Williams, The Bennington Garage.

FOR SALE—The large brick dwelling on Pleasant St. in the Village of Bennington, formerly occupied by the late Anna C. Frazz. This house has spacious grounds and contains fourteen large rooms, besides pantry, bath, kitchen, and all modern improvements. This place, which is one of the most desirable in Bennington, will be sold at a very reasonable price. Apply to H. H. Webster, R. S. Healy or Edward J. Hall, Bennington.

FOR SALE—The Worthington homestead in North Bennington, Vt., consisting of 2 story house, seven acres entire front and part of each side, hot air furnace, Kewanee water system, both rooms and outside gas pipes. Large, roomy barn, suitable for garage, concrete walk, new lawn, gravel driveway, also garden. Lot has frontage of over 100 feet. An ideal place for anyone desiring a home with all modern improvements. Will be sold reasonably. Inquire of H. Jones, First National Bank, or Mrs. W. H. Worthington, on premises, North Bennington, Vt.

WANTED

WANTED—Man to sell 1700 shakals, rooves, heavy fish & equipment. Brown Brothers Nurseries, R. 1, Bennington, Vt.

WANTED—A good steady man for factory work. George E. Davis, 101 Bennington Corners, Tel. 21-3.

WANTED—Young man as stenographer and typewriter in office of large chain factory. Must be thoroughly educated. Salary \$1.00 a week. Apply to H. Jones, First National Bank, Bennington, Vt.

WANTED—Helping young man as stenographer, order clerk in office of large chain factory. Must be thoroughly educated. Apply in person to H. Jones, First National Bank, Bennington, Vt.

WANTED—Position doing house work or domestic nursing. Best of references. Address R. P. Banner Office.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to do general house work. Set wages. Walter D. Rice, Bennington, Vt., R. F. D. 1.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper. Inquire Banner Office.

WANTED—Table boarders. Have taken boarding house recently vacated by Mrs. Howe. Home made food a specialty. Mrs. George Proutie, 111 Union St. Phone 288-M.

WANTED—Nurse at the Taunton state hospital. Training School for Nurses. For particulars, address Dr. Arthur V. Goss, Sup't., Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Mass.

TO RENT—Cottage with garden on Pleasant St. Also two room tenements on Union St. Small families only. Apply 236 Pleasant Street.

TO RENT—In the Brewster building on North St. twelve steam heated rooms. These rooms are well adapted for receiving rooms with one exception every room opens into a hallway. There is a good demand for rooms here and this is a particularly good opportunity for a man and wife to get their own rent and make a profit on the remaining rooms. Apply to Charles N. Powers, Agent for the property.

TO RENT—Large furnished front room on first floor, all modern improvements. Inquire at 112 Adams St. Tel. 190-W.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, in the Lewis house, formerly the Erna Adams home, on Pleasant Street. Apply to Charles N. Powers, Agent for the property.

TO RENT—One side of a two story family house on Convent Ave. Containing seven rooms, bath, hard wood floors, electric lights and all improvements. Apply to Francis Donohue, Tel. 101-S.

TO RENT—One small tenement, E. N. Hart Division St.

TO RENT—Fully equipped machine shop connected with hotel. Four garages, carpenter and blacksmith shop, stores, cellars and tenements. Geo. M. Hayes, 65 Main St.

TO RENT—House to rent on Main St. Apply to J. B. Hart.

NOTICE—\$10 reward for the return of a tallies peacock to Carol Stone, White Crow Inn, Woodford.

GERMANY INTENDS TO INSURE FULL REPARATION

Count Von Bernstorff Personally Delivers Message

SUBMARINE REPORT WAITED

Message From Berlin Indicates That Germany Will Yield To American Demands.

Washington, Aug. 27—Germany's intention to offer full satisfaction to the United States for the sinking of the liner Arabic with a loss of two American lives was communicated formally to the state department today by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, on instructions from the Berlin foreign office.

The ambassador read to Secretary Lansing a memorandum outlining the position of his government. It promised that "if it was found that the Arabic was attacked without warning by the imperial government not only would Germany promptly disavow the act, but would give the United States 'full satisfaction.' This, it is well known, would have to include reparation for the Americans lost and assurances that such tragedies would not be repeated.

No further developments in the situation are expected now until the submarine commander who sank the Arabic has reported to Berlin. Meanwhile, President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, though visibly encouraged and relieved by Count von Bernstorff's assurances and reports from Ambassador Gerard on his conference with Foreign Minister von Jagow, are in a waiting attitude. Before the American government can speak there must be forthcoming the German disavowal and explanation of what all evidence received has seemed to prove an "unfriendly act."

Old Time Cider Drinkers. A century of so-called enormous quantities of cider were consumed in England, more particularly in the cider districts, where the drink is still popular. In his Cambridge reminiscences Henry Gunning says that in 1788, when he was a tutor in Herefordshire, he witnessed some extraordinary feats in cider drinking. Each laborer were allowed to drink as much as they liked, and it was not unusual "for a man to put his lips to a wooden bottle containing four quarts and not remove them until he had emptied it."

FOR SALE—Thirteen acres of standing grass, largely Timothy of best quality. Will sell at reasonable price. Mrs. Mary C. Philmore, Summit Crossing, West Bennington, 6419.

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A Rate Bill of the Town Taxes of 1915 has been placed in my hands for collection as follows: 80 cents on the dollar for the Town Tax, 20 cents on the dollar for the Town Highway Tax, 45 cents on the dollar for the Town District School Tax.

I hereby demand payment of said taxes, and notify you that I will attend at the Bennington County Savings Bank from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m.

There will be a discount of 4 per cent on Town tax if paid within 90 days.

C. H. DEWEY, Treasurer. Bennington, Vt. July 15, 1915.

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Keep the liver active and the bowels regular by using Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. It is a safe remedy for constipation, biliousness, malaria, sick-headache, loss of appetite, dizziness, general debility. Sold every where, liquid or tablets, 25 cents.

William H. Wills Over Woolworth's Store

Bennington, Vt. Phone 89-R or 233-M Public Stenographer in Office

NORTH BENNINGTON

The morning worship of the Congregational church will be held at 11 o'clock on Sunday with preaching by the pastor, the subject being "Economy." The Bible school meets at 12 o'clock. Let's all get together for new interest in study. Remember the midweek meeting on Thursday evening, subject, "Some Characteristics of Love." None of us should miss the concert and recital on Tuesday evening. It will be most enjoyable. We can also by our attendance assist the Armenians in their terrible destitution and reign of terror.

A concert for the benefit of the Armenian Massacre fund will be given Tuesday evening, Aug. 31, at 8 o'clock at the Congregational church under the auspices of the S. S. The concert is given by the Misses Emily, Lillian, and Miriam Eaton of Schenectady, N. Y., soprano, contralto and pianist, respectively. The two former are students at the Troy conservatory and will give an enjoyable program consisting of vocal and piano solos, duets, etc. They will be assisted by Nelson L. Payne as baritone and reader. Admission, adults 25c, children 10c.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

American League Cleveland 4, Boston 3, Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2, Washington 3, St. Louis 1, Detroit 8, New York 1, first game, Detroit 11, New York 3, second game.

National League New York 2, Pittsburg 1, Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 2, St. Louis 13, Brooklyn 7, Boston 9, Chicago 4, first game, Chicago 4, Boston 1, second game.

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GEN. J. J. PERSHING LOSES WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN

Suffocated When House at San Francisco Caught Fire

ONE LITTLE BOY REVIVED

Bereaved Husband and Father in Command of Brigade on Texas Border.

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Frances Warren Pershing, wife of Brigadier General John J. Pershing, U. S. A., and three of her four children were suffocated in a fire in their quarters at the Presidio of San Francisco today.

Their bodies were badly burned. Mrs. Pershing, a relative, and her two children escaped, as did Warren Pershing, five years old, and three servants. The dead children are Helen, Anne and Margaret, all under eight, Anne, seven, and Margaret, six. Mrs. Pershing was the daughter of Senator Warren of Wyoming. Her husband, commanding the Eighth brigade, U. S. infantry, is at El Paso, Texas, in charge of the border troops.

The fire was believed to have been caused by a night lamp.

ARREST BANK CASHIER.

George Roger of Canaan, Ct., Admits Stealing \$5,500.

Canaan, Ct., Aug. 27.—George Roger, cashier of the Canaan National bank, was arrested today charged with embezzlement of about \$5,500 of the bank's funds. He confessed the shortage to Vice President Henry B. Ives of the bank yesterday, it was stated. He was taken to Hartford for arraignment before United States Commissioner Carroll.

Roger is about 60 years of age, married and has a family. He came here seven years ago from Milford, N. Y., where he had been postmaster.

PRIEST SHOTS A BISHOP

Attacked by Insane Priest While Celebrating Mass

Winona, Minn., Aug. 27.—Right Rev. Patrick R. Heffron, bishop of the Winona diocese of the Roman Catholic church was shot today as he was celebrating mass in a private chapel of St. Mary's college, by a crazed priest, tonight he was believed to have a fair chance to recover.

L. M. Lesches, the priest, was arrested. He was believed to have been harboring under the delusion that he had been slighted as regards a parish assignment.

Bishop Heffron was in the midst of mass when Lesches entered the chapel and in the half light was able to creep forward to the side of the bishop and fire one shot from a small calibre revolver before his presence was noted.

The first shot hit the bishop in the left thigh and inflicted a slight bruise. As Lesches fired the first shot the bishop turned and faced the priest who then fired a second shot, the bullet lodging back of the left lung. Dr. W. J. Mayo was hurriedly summoned from Rochester, Minn., but it was decided not to attempt to probe for the second bullet until the bishop's condition was less critical.

HEN NESTS IN TREE

Selects 91-Year-Old Willow Raised From a Riding Switch.

Cecil Smith of Cabot recently discovered a hen's nest in the crotch of a willow tree which is about seven rods from the house.

Miss Rhode Island Red had selected this secluded spot seven feet from the ground and deposited several nice eggs, which were afterward removed from day to day.

Finally she was allowed to keep two of the last ones, which she faithfully watched over until a tiny little chick appeared, which she is now proudly teaching how to get its living.

This tree has stood the blasts and storms of 91 winters. It was cut for a whip by the late Moses Osmond, while riding horseback from his home to the center, then a lad of 16. When he arrived home, he planted the whip in moist soil, where it took root and grew into a tree which now measures 16 feet and four inches in circumference, its branches covering an area of 52 by 62 feet.

TRYING TO DIVIDE RUSSIAN ARMY INTO 3 PARTS

Evidently is Secret of Present German Offensive

NEW DRIVE IN THE SOUTH

Forces of Von Lessenger After Two Weeks Rest Resume Attack Along Zlata-Lipa.

London, Aug. 28.—The secrets of the German offensive now are revealed in the concentration of heavy forces near Vilna and east of Kovol. If the Germans can break through at these widely separated points, they will divide the Russian army into three parts and will hope to crush each one separately.

The greatest danger point to the Russians seems to be east of Kovol where the Germans have already penetrated the marshes which were expected to stop their advance toward Pinsk. The invaders at this point are now more than 50 miles east of Brest-Litovsk and less than 30 miles from the railway to Moscow which connects strategic points on the third line of the Russian defense.

The great marshes of Pinsk are crossed only by one line of railroad and this is now threatened by the German forces which have crossed the marshes by wagon road and are now advancing east and north.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—After a two weeks rest the army of Gen. von Lessenger in the extreme east part of Galicia has struck a hard blow at the Russians on the Zlata-Lipa river, capturing 2,400 prisoners, six cannon and 11 machine guns.

Berlin, via Saville, Aug. 28.—The official report of the German submarine which has just returned to headquarters announces the complete destruction of one of the largest British ammunition factors and which was located in a coast town.

DEAD FROM TRICHINIASIS

Bristol Boy Ate Raw Pork—Others of Family Ill

Bristol, Aug. 27.—An autopsy held on the body of the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Comler of Bristol Flat, who was found dead in bed yesterday morning, indicates that the boy died from trichina poisoning.

The boy's father has been under the care of a physician for the past week and it is believed that he is suffering from the same malady. A daughter also shows similar symptoms.

The members of the family have told conflicting stories regarding what they had eaten it being claimed by the children that no meat had been partaken of for some time. Later they admitted that they had eaten some pork, part of which was raw.

REICHSTAG REVIEWS SUCCESS

Berlin, Aug. 27. (via London)—The fall of Brest-Litovsk caused lively discussions today among members of the Reichstag, several of them mentioning the victory in their speeches.

The event is regarded as emphasizing the impression that the Russians will not be able to resume the offensive with any prospect of success.

WEATHER

For eastern New York and western Vermont fair tonight. Sunday partly cloudy and warmer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to our kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our beloved daughter, Elizabeth F. Mattison, also for the many floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis R. Mattison and family.

GASOLINE NOW 15 CENTS.

Wholesalers Have Advanced Price One Cent a Gallon.

Gasoline is now selling at the local garages for 15 cents a gallon. Producers recently gave notice of an increase in price of one cent a gallon and the retailers naturally are compelled to follow.

Previous to the increase in price by the wholesalers gasoline was selling at the Bennington garages for 14 cents.

Even at 15 cents patrons of the Bennington garages are faring better than the automobilists who purchase their "gas" in other towns. In Rutland the price before the increase was 16 cents and now 18 cents is the price charged at the pumps with the prospects of another cent increase in the near future.

The only answer that can be obtained from the producers' agents when asked why the price has been raised is that it is because of the increased consumption. The importation of large quantities for use in the European war may also have had some effect on the price.

RUSSIA'S STRONGEST FORTRESS

Brest-Litovsk of More Value Strategically than Warsaw.

The Russian fortress of Brest-Litovsk which was just captured by the Austro-German forces, had been considered one of the strongest fortresses in Europe, and was the southern base of the second Russian line of defense in which the armies of Grand Duke Nicholas retreated after the fall of Warsaw. The citadel is situated on the Bug River and at the junction of several railways 121 miles south of Grodno and 120 miles east of Warsaw.

The taking of Brest-Litovsk by the Teutonic forces is probably the most important military achievement since the fall of Warsaw three weeks ago today. The town which had a population of about 60,000, was one of the most important depots for the distributing points of military supplies near the western frontiers of Russia proper. The fortress was rated by military critics as a much more important strategic point than was Warsaw.

Brest-Litovsk is situated at the junction of the Bug and Mukhovets Rivers and the fortress of the city was built at the point of confluence. It lies upon the right bank of the Bug where the river turns from the north to the north-east, intersecting here are railroads from Olessa, Kiev, Moscow, Warsaw, Vilna and East Prussia.

Brest-Litovsk, according to information compiled by the National Geographical Society, contained one of the oldest important fortresses in Northern Europe. The older fortifications were erected about one mile east of Brest-Litovsk and had a circumference of four miles. The field works were kept up to date and everything possible had been done by Russia, it was said, to make them unconquerable. Brest-Litovsk was generally regarded in Russia as the most powerful individual stronghold in the empire.

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U. S. RUNS BEHIND \$15,000,000 EACH MONTH

Bond Issue or More War Taxes to Meet Bills

INCOME OF COUNTRY INCREASED

Forty-one People Have Incomes of Million or More and 345 Get Over Half Million.

Washington, Aug. 27.—A preliminary report by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, which was made public today, suggests that the inference that the war tax imposed by the Act of Oct. 23, 1914, which expires by limitation in December, will have to be reenacted next season if a bond issue is to be avoided. Another inference to be drawn from the statistics furnished is that there are in the country about 345 persons with annual incomes of more than \$500,000 and about 41 whose incomes exceed \$1,000,000 or more.

The total receipts of internal revenue for the year ended June 30, 1915, amounted to \$415,659,876.29, an increase of \$35,669,482.34 over collections for the preceding year, the receipts for which were the highest up to that time. But \$52,969,999 of this came from the war tax without which there would have been a decrease of about \$17,900,000. Even with the war tax, the government is running on a monthly deficit of \$15,900,000, so that without an unexpected increase in customs or internal revenues, or an issue of bonds, the supply of cash on hand would soon be reduced to the danger point.

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